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SUBSTITUTED PHENOLS BY SPECIFICALLY INACTIVATING GENES OF  
THE EUGENOL AND FERULIC ACID CATABOLISM

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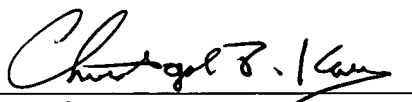
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